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TODAY'S CALENDAR

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Social, Fraternal Societies.
Amusement night in all wards.

Stated Fraternal Meetings.
Order of Owls.
Order of Eastern Star, Queen Esther Chapter No. 4.

Church Meetings.
Dr. E. L. House lecture, M. E. church.

MILITARY ATTACHE WHO IS PERSONA NON GRATA.

Captain Boy-ed, the German military attache, has been virtually ordered to leave the United States, Secretary Lansing having served notice on Count von Bernstorff, German ambassador to the United States, that the military attache is persona non grata to this government. This action follows swiftly on the verdict of the New York jury which yesterday found the four officials of the Hamburg-American line guilty of violating our neutrality laws. Captain Boy-ed's name was prominently mentioned throughout the trial and the conspiracy was traced to the military attache's office.

Captain Boy-ed repeatedly has been quoted in the press as having a poor

opinion of this country and he has been credited as viewing with contempt the efforts to curb his unneutral movements. Ships have been set on fire, docks blown up, powder works destroyed, gun plants reduced to ashes and a thousand other offensive acts committed and the trail of the dynamiter and incendiary invariably has led back to the headquarters of Captain Boy-ed. With the verdict of the jury yesterday, at least one very reprehensible offense against the United States was unmistakably placed at the door of the military attache. The time had arrived for the United States government to denounce the outrages and no better course could have been pursued than to order the offensive plotter to leave. Boy-ed's expulsion should be followed up by an endless ferreting out of the hired carriers of bomb and torch, who have left a path of destruction across the continent.

SMALL CHILDREN OFTEN ABUSED.

Cautioning mothers against attempting to completely control the actions of their small children, a writer explains why one should not try to "break the will" of a child under four years of age. Now and then a mother whips a little one to no good purpose often arousing a spirit of dislike in the child. Patience, accompanied by instructive words, will accomplish far more than the blow that brings resentment.

"It has been discovered," says the physiologist, "that the brain of a child under four is not sufficiently developed to allow the immature will power to govern it. In other words, the child under four is not responsible for its own actions and any effort to form habits of mind is futile. It is fairly well known that the component parts of the human brain are the spinal cord, the medulla oblongata, the cerebellum and the cerebrum. The baby at birth is best fitted with the spinal cord and a part of the pyramid-shaped medulla oblongata, known as the pyramidenbahn, or 'pyramid path.' The spinal cord is the seat of many of our reflex or involuntary but habitual actions. Nearly all the rest are controlled in the medulla oblongata. The infant is not able to make conscious, volun-

tary movements because the 'pyramid path,' or the path of communication between the outer layer of the cerebrum and the spinal cord, by means of which movements they are brought under the control of the former, is not yet mature. Only such movements are voluntary as proceed from some definite point in the cerebrum. It is true that the nerve fibers which form this pyramid-path are already present in the new-born infant, but they are not yet capable of acting, because they have as yet developed no nerve sheaths. These sheaths are for the nerve what insulators are for the electric current. It is only by degrees corresponding to the growing development of the sheath of the pyramid path that the child develops the power to bring its action under control of the cerebrum, or, as we are accustomed to express ourselves psychologically, to subject them to the will. The nerve formation itself, moreover, is influenced by the stimulus of functioning. The nursing has as yet no will power, and it is well known that the will power is still very weak in children of the succeeding period of development. This is due to the fact that the path of communication between the cerebrum and the spinal cord requires years to be fully matured."

REVOLUTIONIZING BRITISH WARFARE.

No one man has done more to sustain the British army in the field than Lloyd-George, minister of munitions. The titanic task this man undertook and the degree of success he achieved is related by Isaac F. Marcossow, who visited the English munition factories in September. Lloyd-George has organized 750 factories and is now turning out shells and guns at a rate more than equal to the demands of the fighting forces. One of the first signs of the increase in munitions was the ability of the British to make their great drive in September, in which they overwhelmed the enemy with a storm of shells that continued during an entire week.

Marcossow dwells on the inventions board organized by Lloyd-George, declaring that after more than a year of war one of the principal lessons learned is the vast importance of invention. At the outset, creative industry was lost sight of in the swift rush to pour out the supply of old and time honored weapons.

"Only aerial warfare received any particular attention, and this development was concentrated, so far as the Allies were concerned, in France. The superiority of Germany in this respect," says Marcossow, "finally awakened England to the need of an aviation reserve through individual initiative. There were various other provocations, including the powerful Austrian howitzers that pounded their way through Belgium and the deadly German submarines which had revolutionized naval warfare. Realizing all this, Lloyd-George has created an inventions branch that has brought to its council table the very flower of England's scientific and industrial research. It includes such men as Sir Robert Hadfield, one of the greatest of Sheffield steel masters, whose investigations in the chemistry of steel have made him a world figure; Sir Hiram Maxim, inventor of the automatic system of firearms; Sir Joseph John Thomson, the eminent physicist; Professor J. S. Haldane, who investigated gas poisoning at the front and brought about a prevention of its fatal effects; Sir Alexander Kennedy, the famous engineering expert; F. W. Lancaster, the aeronautical authority and motor engineer, and a score of other men equally well known, who have dedicated their lives to practical research. The chief function of this board is to consider all inventions that bear on war. That the inventive genius of England is stimulated under this pressure is evidenced by the fact that since the first of this year more than 1,000 patents relating to material for war use have been applied for, as against 400 for the corresponding period of last year. Guns and projectiles lead, with trenches a close second. Aeroplanes and airships come third, with periscopes fourth. Bombs, hand grenades, and catapults come next, while, curiously enough, submarines trail last in the roster of invention."

OGDEN RIVER IN GEOLOGY.

The last issue of the press bulletin of the Geological Survey quotes extensively from the Overland Guidebook, and one of the articles given prominence refers to Ogden river and is headed, "River Older Than the Mountains It Drains," as follows:

The guidebooks to western travel issued by the United States Geological Survey explain some things which at first sight seem inexplicable. How much more interesting it is to see something of which you know enough to understand and appreciate its wonders! Ogden Canyon, a deep cleft through the towering Wasatch Mountains, overlooking the Great Salt Lake, is one of the show places along the Oregon Short Line, yet many of the thousands of people who have viewed its beauties would have enjoyed them more had they first read the little statement of geologic history given in the guidebook of the Overland Route.

Ogden Canyon, a deep notch with bare cliffs of hard pink quartzite on both sides, was cut in the solid rock by the river which flows through it. Running water carrying sand and gravel acts as a saw or file and, given time enough, can cut through the hardest rocks. Ogden River was flow-

ing west along its present course before the lofty Wasatch mountains came into existence. The raising of the mountains went on slowly for ages, so slowly that the river kept its place by cutting down its ever-rising bed, carving a deep and narrow canyon straight through the block of the earth's crust as it rose. In no other way can we rationally account for a river rising on one side of the range and flowing directly across it. Movement of the mountain mass has continued down to the present time at least there has been recent disturbance along the base of the Wasatch Range, as is shown by faults which traverse the lake deposits. Some of the breaks are so new as to be devoid of vegetation. The upward movement of the mountains has been so continuous that the river has had no opportunity to widen its valley, a which it will begin as soon as the mountains cease rising.

In the region now occupied by the Wasatch mountains a number of parallel faults were developed close together and the broken pieces of the earth's crust between them were pushed up, the rocks on one side of each crack riding up over those on the other side until a great mountain range was formed where once lay a plain. During the long period of slow earth movement which made these mountains, flat-lying parallel beds of rock were locally turned on edges, crumpled and folded in a wonderfully intricate manner. These upturned and crumpled rocks are well exposed in Ogden Canyon. The west face of the Wasatch Range is believed to mark the plane of a normal fault at a nearly vertical crack in the earth's crust, the rocks on the east side of which went up or those on the west side went down. The forces which have raised these mountains are still active, for movement along this fault has disturbed the surface recently.

ROBBING THE GRAVE.

(Salt Lake Tribune.) While the various belligerent nations of Europe are accused of robbing the cradle in order to augment the number of soldiers in the field, the Austrian government is robbing the grave to secure copper for use in the munitions plants. The robbery is being conducted in a systematic manner under a government order to search the cemeteries for the copper fittings of coffins. While they are about it suppose the ghouls appropriate all the lead caskets and do not overlook those made of steel. Yet each day the Overseas News agency calmly and dispassionately informs us that the Teutonic nations are well supplied with everything necessary to conduct the war for an indefinite period of time. Dispossessing the dead of their coffins doesn't bear out the assertions of the news agency in respect to copper, and doubtless many other blowholes will be discovered in due course of time.

YOU'LL BE SORRY

If you miss seeing Harry Beresford & Co., the headliners at the Alhambra, in their laugh getting and tear-producing sketch, "Sunshine and Flowers," you will be sorry. The program according to the popular verdict is the finest bill appearing this season in Orpheum vaudeville. 1000 balcony seats for adults, 10c. Come early time enough, can cut through the hardest rocks. Ogden River was flow-

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BURT'S BURT'S

CAPTAIN OF THE NEW FIRE STATION

On the recommendation of T. S. Browning, superintendent of public safety, W. B. Meyers, has been appointed by the city board of commissioners captain of fire station No. 3, and T. E. Halroyd fireman. The new station, which is on Washington avenue and Ninth street, is now in commission.

MEETINGS ARE TO BE HELD IN OGDEN TOMORROW

The farm institute meetings will conclude today in the rural districts of Weber county. The farmers are much pleased with the week's educational work. Both farmers and housewives have received valuable instruction on farm and home economics. The meetings have been of greater importance than any of the kind in the history of Weber county and it is reported that they have been well attended.

The institute work will be closed in Ogden tomorrow, when three meetings will be held at the Tabernacle. It is

expected that there will be many from the country districts to hear the educators. Music will be given by the State Industrial school band and the Hooper Commercial Club.

Following is the program:
December 4.
Farmer convention at Ogden. Morning session, Dr. R. J. Evans; Professor John T. Caine. Afternoon session, Dr. J. A. Whitsoe, Dr. E. G. Gowans. Evening, Attorney A. B. Stephens.

CRUDE OILS ARE AGAIN ADVANCED

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 3.—Crude oils were again advanced today, ten cents a barrel being added to the principal grades which made the new prices as follows:
Pennsylvania crude \$2.10; Cabell, \$1.65; Mercer black, New Castle, Corning, \$1.60. Somerset was advanced eight cents to \$1.50 but there was no change in Ragland from 70 cents.

The last previous advance of ten cents made several weeks ago failed to bring out the crude oil which the refiners need, and the opinion was expressed today that another rise would be necessary to start the movement. Producers are now predicting \$2.50 for the early spring.

Meantime the advance is causing marked activity among drillers in the western Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Ohio fields.

Read the Classified Ads.
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A GOLDEN CATCH.
Brother Dear—No matter whether Teddy loved you enough, why did you throw him over for Percy?
Sister Sybil—Well, you see, dear, Ted is only lukewarm, while Percy is decidedly lucie.

WONDER.
Wife—I'd like to know where these contemptible jokers get their ideas of mothers-in-law.
Husband—H'm! I don't know. Perhaps they used to be divorce court reporters.—New York Weekly.

MISUNDERSTOOD.
Mr. Frontseat—Will I have time to go out and get a drink, usher?
Usher (referring to curtain)—It won't stay down a minute, sir.
Frontseat (sharply)—That's my business.—Galveston News.

STRANGE TO HIM.
The Sergeant—Look here, before you're served out with your uniform you'd better nip down to the wash-houses and get a bath.
The Recruit—Wot? I come 'ere to be a soldier—not a bloomin' mermaid!—London Opinion.

CRUEL!
She—What's his penchant?
He—Antiques.
She (glaring through lorgnette)—Is that one of them with him?—Judge.

THANKFUL.
Friend—What are you thankful for this year, Uncle Rastus?
Uncle Rastus—Well, suh, on de wealth side Ah am thankful fob de things Ah've got, an' on de health side Ah am thankful fob de things Ah haven't got.—Life.

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Fong Choy, the Musical Operetta Headlining the New Pantages Show at the Orpheum. Tonight. Two Performances—7:30, 9:15—10c, 20c, 30c.